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E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EINV, AR

SUBJECT: ITT AND DELTEC PROBLEMS IN ARGENTINA

REF: STATE 146479

1. CSEA/ITT - ASSUME AMBASSADOR HILL HAS SEEN REFTEL AND WILL BE DISCUSSING WITH DEPT. POSSIBLE CALL ON MINISTER RODRIGO FOLLOWING HIS RETURN TO B.A.

2. DELTEC - WE UNABLE LOCATE ALLEGED STATEMENT BY RODRIGO SO FAR. ALTHOUGH EMBASSY WILL CHECK HIS SPEECHES FURTHER, WE BELIEVE IT POSSIBLE SOME CONFUSION AROSE AS RESULT BYLINED ARTICLE IN LA OPINION OF JUNE 19. ARTICLE QUOTED SEVERAL PARAGRAPHS FROM RODRIGO'S SPEECHES AND WENT ON TO SAY THAT PRIVATE SOURCES "INDICATE DISCUSSIONS HAVE BEGUN WITH DELTEC GROUP (OWNERS OF SWIFT PACKING PLANT) FOR THE PURPOSE OF REACHING AN AGREEMENT...." IN ADDITION, UNAUTHORIZED AND UNPUBLISHED DOCUMENT NOW WIDELY CIRCULATING IN B.A. WHICH ALLEGEDLY A SUMMARY OF MINISTER RODRIGO'S ECONOMIC IDEAS AND PLANS, QUOTES HIM AS CRITICIZING THE NATIONALIZATION OF FORMER DELTEC ENTERPRISES, AND SAYING THAT RECONVERSION AND LIQUIDATION OF NATIONALIZED ENTERPRISES SHOULD BE NEGOTIATED WITH LABOR UNIONS. NO MENTION OF DELTEC MADE IN EITHER RODRIGO'S OR PRESIDENT PERON'S SPEECHES ON JUNE 18 NOR WAS DELTEC LAWYER ARANDA AWARE OF

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SUCH STATEMENT AS OF JUNE 23. ARANDA IS MEETING WITH ECONCOUNS

JUNE 24 TO DISCUSS DELTEC PROSPECTS, PARTICULARLY IN VIEW OF  
NEW ECONOMIC TEAM POLICIES.  
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